

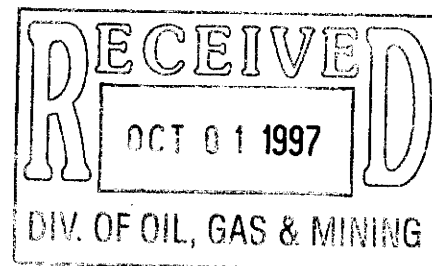


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CEDAR CITY DISTRICT  
BEAVER RIVER RESOURCE AREA  
176 East D.L. Sargent Dr.  
Cedar City, Utah 84720



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In Reply Refer to:  
UT-044  
3809, UTU-67787

September 29, 1997

Bruce Whited  
12153 South 1840 East  
Draper, UT 84020

Dear Mr. Whited:

This letter is in regard to a mining disturbance located in California Hollow within the NE4NE4 Sec. 1, T. 31 S., R. 8 W. The disturbance, referred to as the L.C. & K.C.L. Minesite, is located entirely on Federal lands with this office's jurisdiction. The original notice of intent filed for this operation was through Cobb Mining Operation, care of yourself, and submitted to this office on May 28, 1991. On March 11, 1992, an amended notice (copy enclosed) was filed by AEMC (again, care of yourself), which moved all milling activity proposed under the original notice from federal to private lands. The minesite disturbance covered under this amended notice was assigned to BLM casefile UTU-67787, and State of Utah Small Mining Operation casefile S/021/013.

On September 15, 1997, I made an inspection of the disturbed area and it appears as though the site has been inactive for over a year and the minesite is covered with noxious weeds. I contacted the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas, and Minerals, and found that no annual reports have been filed for the mining operation or millsite since 1993. The BLM acceptance letter for amended notice (copy enclosed), for which you are the responsible party, requires that if mining activities extend for more than one year, that a new notice be filed with this office, or that the reclamation plan for the site be carried out.

It will be necessary for you to contact me immediately at (801) 865-3040, to rectify this situation. Failure to respond to this letter will result in a notice of non-compliance being issued, requiring bonding for the full cost of reclamation for this and all other present mining disturbances, for which you are responsible, on BLM managed lands.

Sincerely,

Ed Ginouves  
Mining Engineer

XC: Joelle Burns, DOGM

Enclosures:

1. Copy of Amended Notice UTU-67787
2. Copy of BLM letter of April 13, 1992.

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